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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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Devices**
Inventors: J. Wallace Parce *et al.*
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1. Supplemental Application Data Sheet;
2. Request for Corrected Filing Receipt;
3. Copy of the Official Filing Receipt marked in red to show correction; and
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